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**From:** Grether, Heidi (DEQ)  
**Sent:** Tue 4/3/2018 9:39:44 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Aquila letter re: EPA objections

Great.

*Heidi*

C. Heidi Grether  
Director  
Michigan Department of Environmental Quality

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**From:** Stepp, Cathy <stepp.cathy@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 03, 2018 5:39 PM  
**To:** Grether, Heidi (DEQ) <GretherH@michigan.gov>  
**Subject:** Re: Aquila letter re: EPA objections

Thanks Heidi. They shared all of this with us yesterday.

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 3, 2018, at 2:37 PM, Grether, Heidi (DEQ) <[GretherH@michigan.gov](mailto:GretherH@michigan.gov)> wrote:

Cathy –

I talked with staff about your Aquilla meeting. Interestingly, they had a very similar meeting with them a couple weeks ago. Attached are 3 letters, the first of which is what we have told Aquilla they need to provide. These suggestions were reviewed by your staff as well. See below.

Heidi

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From: Fish, Kim (DEQ)  
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Subject: Aquila letter re: EPA objections

Director,  
Attached is the March 19 letter we sent to Aquila after receiving the EPA objections. Also attached is the EPA objection letter and the enclosure to that letter. The March 19 letter was shared with EPA staff before it was finalized to make sure both agencies were in agreement regarding the questions and issues that need to be addressed by Aquila before a permit decision can made.

Let me know if you have any questions.

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